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To: Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services, Bureau of Developmental Disabilities

Services families, individuals, providers, case managers and BDDS staff

From: Cathy Robinson, Director, Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services **Re:** BDDS Waiver Redesign Initial Concept Paper – Executive Summary Release

Date: January 17, 2020

On January 7, 2020 the Division of Disability and Rehabilitative Services, Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services released an Initial Concept paper on its waiver redesign efforts. Today, BDDS is pleased to share with our partners and stakeholders, an Executive Summary of this Initial Concept paper to allow comment by all interested parties who would like to review a more succinct summary of the waiver redesign.

The Executive Summary is being provided in English, Spanish and Burmese.

The Executive Summary of the concept paper is our way of making sure that everyone has an opportunity to provide feedback and input on the major ideas and path forward.

- To access the Executive Summary in English click here.
- Para acceder al Resumen Ejecutivo en español, haga clic aquí.
- <u>စပိန်ဘာသာဖြင့်အလုပ်အနှစ်ချုပ်ကိုရယူရန်ဤနေရာကိုနှိပ်ပါ</u>

The waiver redesign Initial Concept paper and Executive Summary will be available for stakeholder feedback through April 17, 2020, on the BDDS Waiver Redesign webpage available by <u>clicking here</u>.

Listed below for are ways to learn more and/or to share your feedback.

Ways to learn more and/or to share feedback

Online:

- Email: BDDSInfo@fssa.in.gov
- Completion of the electronic survey available by clicking here.

At upcoming Building Bridges meetings, all meetings are 6 – 8 p.m. local time:



- January 22, 2020: Crawfordsville Public Library, 205 S Washington Street, Crawfordsville, Ind.
- January 28, 2020: Johnson County Library White River Branch, 1664 Library Blvd, Greenwood, Ind.
- February 6, 2020: Clarksville Public Library, 1312 Eastern Blvd, Clarksville, Ind.
- February 12, 2020: Evansville Public Library, 200 SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Evansville, Ind.
- February 19, 2020: Bloomington, Ind. Location TBD
- March 12, 2020: Plymouth Public Library, 201 N Center Street, Plymouth, Ind.
- March 23, 2020: Fort Wayne Public Library, 900 Library Plaza, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Additional stakeholder feedback opportunities will be available, both online and in-person. Information on additional opportunities will be available on the DDRS Waiver Redesign webpage, DDRS Announcements, Indiana Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Facebook page, and the *INvision* newsletter. As a reminder, once further feedback is received, the final concept paper will be released in the summer of 2020, and additional stakeholder feedback opportunities will be available at that time as well.